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### BUT'ER WEEKLY TIMES.

#### LOCAL ITEMS

Rev. L. P. Sicheloff, of Linneus, formerly pastor of the M. E. church (south), of this city, was in Butler Saturday and gave us a pleasant call and renewed for the TIMES. Rev. Sicheloff is a true christian gentleman and his many friends in Butler will always delight to hear of his estimable family's good health and prosperity.

A. H. Humphrey, father of Mrs. A. Henry, a former citizen of this place and well known by our people, died at his home in Baldwin, Kans. Monday. His sickness was caused, we understand, from an attack of la grippe. Mr. Humphrey was president of the Baldwin City bank and a large real estate owner near this city. He was quite wealthy and a highly respected citizen and had many friends in this vicinity who will deeply regret to learn of his sudden death.

BLACK-DRAUGHT tea cures Constipation.

The trees are fast leafing out.

J. D. Power, we understand, has sold his brick store house on the south side.

A committee has been appointed by the directors to stock the lake with fish.

The Allen building on the south side of the square, is being fitted up for a billiard hall.

Mrs. Frank Mount, of Sedalia, is visiting friends and relatives in the city this week.

Chas. Hagedorn and a party of hunters from Kansas City spent Tuesday in the bottoms sniping.

Miss Ada Moore of this city, was married Sunday to Joseph Burde, of Chicago.

D. H. Hill and wife, of Hume, were in the city Saturday. Mrs. H. was visiting Mrs. N. B. Meek.

We see from the Adrian Journal that G. N. States was stricken down with a severe attack of pneumonia Monday of last week.

For the health of our citizens we hope to see stringent sanitary ordinance passed and enforced by the council.

Miss Anna Lansdown, daughter of Dr. Lansdowne, left Monday for Nyhart to take charge of a district school at that place.

The stallion show at the Rafter race track Saturday was a grand success, and a large number of fine horses were on exhibition.

Cherry, peach, plum, pear and apple trees are in bloom and the prospects are we will have an abundant crop this season.

They are having a monkey and parrot time over mayor's office at Nevada. So far the democrats are holding the fort.

T. H. Smith and wife left Thursday for their new home in Montana. The TIMES wishes them health, happiness and prosperity.

To avoid an accident the Lake & Park Co. should put up a guard rail on each side of the drive-way at the crossing of the dam.

D. G. Newsom, Monday in the Dickey bottoms, killed 101 snipes in four hours and only missed nine shots. Newsom always beats the beater.

Joe Meyers, head salesman and boss of the clothing department of Sam'l Levy's store was opening up a car load of straw hats Monday.

A free ballot and fair count elected a democratic mayor in Kansas City Tuesday of last week by over 2,000 majority with the rest of the ticket as a close record.

Peter Lane received a part of a car load of chickens from his poultry yards in Leroy, Kansas, Monday. The car was filled from his yards in this city and shipped to New York. He also shipped a car load of eggs.

Some of our merchants have asked us the question why Austin can offer to do county printing so cheap, when he charges the merchants for advertising more for the same space than any other paper in the county. This is a question for the merchants themselves to investigate.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has the largest sale of any medicine before the public. Any honest druggist will confirm this statement.

Mayor-elect Holmes, Jas. E. Riley, R. B. Organ, William Reiger and Wade Munford, all of Kansas City, came down on the noon train yesterday to spend a day or two shooting in snipe in the Marias Des Cygnes bottoms.

We see by proceedings of G. A. R. state encampment at Jefferson City last week that Wm. Page, of Butler, was elected one of the delegates to the National encampment, G. A. R.

D. H. Hill informs us that a new bank has been organized at Hume, to be known as the Citizens Bank. The directors, elected some time ago, met Saturday to elect officers. Mr. Hill thought that Henry C. Reese would be president and E. N. Dickinson cashier.

E. K. Carnes, for the past seven or eight years station agent at this place, has resigned his position, and Monday, with his family, took the train for Denver, Col., where he will locate provided he is pleased with the surroundings. His object in leaving Butler was on account of the poor health of his wife.

The workmen engaged in remodeling, repairing and decorating the room to be occupied by the Farmers bank have about completed their task and in a few more days it will be ready for occupancy. The furniture and fixtures for the banking department is first class throughout, and we opine the officers of the bank will feel proud of the change.

A meeting of the democratic county central committee of Henry county was held in Clinton Saturday, and after making arrangements for the townships to elect delegates to a county convention to be held on June 7th, to elect delegates to the state convention to be held at St. Joseph. The committee then decided to hold a convention to nominate a county ticket on August 2nd.

The farmers are busy this nice weather plowing for corn, and getting in their crops; consequently the streets of Butler for the last two or three days have put on a Sunday appearance. This is all right, the plows must be kept busy to insure a bountiful harvest and we hope to see the farmer realize his brightest anticipation of big crops and good prices.

Capt. H. C. Donohue, Bates county's next representative in the legislature, was circulating among his friends in Appleton City Tuesday.—Appleton City Journal.

So that is why the Captain is so enthusiastic for a farmer's ticket! We thought it was for the good of the order. But then he knows how to look after self, and when the truth is known, most of the leaders who are so solicitous for the farmers' good are looking out for No. 1.

There has been some crookedness in Nevada's late election, and when the council came to canvass the vote the judges and clerks were unable to make a legal showing of the returns of the fifth ward, and that ward was consequently thrown out entirely. This gave Mayor Graves a majority of the vote and he was re-instated in office and the council organized but a great deal of bad feeling prevails.

A dozen teams or more are at work on the race track near the lake putting it in shape for the spring races. The contract for a band stand and amphitheatre have been let and the carpenters are awaiting the arrival of the lumber and material to go to work. The committee have also let the contract for the necessary buildings at the lake. Several hundred shade and ornamental trees were planted Arbor day and the grounds will soon present a handsome appearance and the race track and park will soon be a pleasure resort.

Judge Sam'l Levy, who has been in St. Louis for several weeks arranging and fixing up for house keeping returned to this city Saturday, and will remain for several days looking after his business interests. The judge's motive in moving his family to St. Louis is not permanent but for the purpose of educating his children. The judge said he was glad to get back to Butler and meet his hundreds of friends, and more particularly glad to find Col. Pace mayor of the city and council democratic.

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To the Front.  
The Quick Meal as usual out-distances all competitors. As the name indicates they get there in baking, roasting and boiling quick.  
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At a meeting of the directors of the Foster bank on the 10th inst., for the purpose of electing officers. W. M. Campbell was elected president, Wm. E. Walton, of this city, was re-elected cashier and Judge John H. Sullens assistant cashier. Judge Sullens will also have business management of the institution and give the bank his entire attention. The judge is one of the most popular men in that section of the county, and his name will add confidence, business and stability to the bank. The TIMES congratulates the stockholders on their wise selection and wishes the Judge abundant success in his new field of labor.

Harlan C. Turner and Miss Gertrude Hannah, were united in marriage in the parlors of the Palace hotel, Monday at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. V. Francis of the M. E. church, officiating. The wedding was a very quiet affair, only the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends being present. The happy couple took their departure on the 3:15 train for their new home, Mt. Sterling, Ky. The bride is the handsome and accomplished daughter of Capt. J. W. Hannah, and has a host of friends in this city who will wish her all the happiness and bliss to be had in married life. Mr. Turner, the groom, is well known in this city and county, and is quite wealthy. He and his uncle, H. C. Turner, have purchased the National hotel in Mt. Sterling, and the two will engage in the hotel business. The price paid for the property was \$35,000.

The TIMES job office last week printed a 20 page brief in the case of John Wirt against Anna Dinan and John Dinan, her husband, in the Kansas City Court of Appeals, Holcomb & Smith and Parkinson & Graves, attorneys for defendants. Our readers will remember Anna Dinan stole a herd of cattle near Rockville and sold them to plaintiff in Cass Co. John Wirt attached the property of John Dinan to save himself after the cattle were replevied by the owner. The brief was prepared by Thos. J. Smith and the number of points and authorities cited and the close and logical reasoning shows much thought and careful study. It fact the case is tried upon an abstract question of law, and Mr. Smith can be congratulated upon his fine legal effort.

Our esteemed young friend, Silas W. Levy, of the firm of Sam'l Levy & Co., took his departure for St. Louis, Monday. To day he leaves St. Louis for Helena, Ark., where he will be married on the 22nd inst. to Miss Ellen R. Meyers, daughter of Aaron Meyers, a prominent merchant of that city. The ceremony will be performed at 5 o'clock in Temple Beth El. After which the happy couple will take a wedding tour to New Orleans, Memphis and other cities of note in the south, returning to this city about the 10th of May. The TIMES takes pleasure in complimenting the young lady on her wise choice in the selection of a husband, as Mr. Levy is one of our most energetic and promising young business men. On their return the couple will occupy the handsome residence of S. Levy on North Main street which has been prepared for their reception. The TIMES wishes them a pleasant tour and a safe return to Butler, where it assures Mrs. Levy she will meet with a cordial welcome.

We notice that the Western Farm Mortgage Trust Co., a new money loaning institution which has just opened a branch office in our city, with rooms in the Farmers Bank, has secured the services, as business manager, of our esteemed young friend Geo. Canterbury. We want to say to the corporation that their selection of a business manager is a good one, in short, they could not have found in the whole state a young man more thoroughly qualified for the responsible position. Mr. Canterbury has a thorough knowledge of the real estate of this county and is well posted in the abstract business. Although young in years he is well schooled in experience in the work in which he has undertaken, and as for honesty and integrity stands as high as any man in this community.

A plat of the town of Amoret in the western part of this county, on the line of the Kansas City, Nevada & Ft. Smith railroad, was filed with the recorder last week. A number of lots have been sold and the contract for the erection of several store buildings and a hotel have been let.

## ED. T. STEELE & COMPANY,

Have just received a new lot of Decorated Queensware and Fancy Glassware. They have always sold Queensware and Glassware cheaper than any other house in town, and will continue to do so.

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## Ed. T. Steele & Company, North Side Square.

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The TIMES calls the attention of its readers to the advertisement of T. W. Legg, proprietor of the Butler carriage works. Mr. Legg is a practical workman in his line and besides building new work, does all kinds of buggy repairing.

#### A Card of Thanks.

To the many kind friends who gave us their aid and sympathy in our late bereavement and to the many others who offered their help and sympathy, we offer our heartfelt thanks. We shall ever hold them in grateful remembrance.

#### Mrs. J. M. STEELE AND FAMILY.

Benj. Thompson, of Iowa, has established in this city, a permanent stable for the sale and service of blooded stallions. The stock he has for sale is Clyde, English draft, Mambrino and thoroughbred trotting and running horses. He is located in the old C. B. Lewis barn in the east part of the city, where he keeps a good supply of the above horses for sale and inspection, and invites all lovers of fine stock to call and see them. There arrived at his stable Monday a thorough bred running stallion which takes the ribbon off of any thing we have seen in this section. Mr. Thomas Allison is manager of the barn and will take pleasure in showing the stock.

#### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I will pay all outstanding warrants on the contingent fund of Bates county up to August 4th, 1887, and warrants on bridge fund up to September 8, 1886, all warrants on salary fund up to April 5th, 1889 and all warrants on pauper fund up to December 20, 1889. Also all juries, judges and clerks of election and witness fees before grand jury up to date. All persons having such warrants are requested to bring them to me for payment, as they will cease to draw interest from and after the publication of this notice. OSCAR REEDER, Treasurer of Bates county.

#### Pasture for Rent.

I have 220 acres of good clover and timothy pasture which I will rent in 40 or 80 acre lots, or I will take stock to pasture. Address, G. D. McNeil, Burdette, Mo.

Jurors.  
The following named gentlemen were drawn as grand and petit jurors for the June term of circuit court:

#### GRAND JURORS.

B. F. Gregory, Mingo; Joe Cooper, Deer Creek; C. N. Clark, East Boone; J. B. Hayes, Spruce; S. C. Coleman, Deepwater; E. S. Carrithers, Mt. Pleasant; M. G. Grantham, Walnut; S. H. Weddle, New Home; A. Baker, Rockville; F. Schapler, Prairie; A. Neptune, Osage. O. Holland, Howard.

#### PETIT JURORS.

J. M. Mayer, Mingo; F. M. Woods, Grand River; H. Moudy, Deer Creek; B. B. Blackburn, East Boone; Marion Todd, West Boone; J. D. Simpson, West Point; R. A. Garrett, Elkhardt; W. F. Haas, Mound; J. Deerwester, Shawnee; M. S. Keirse, Spruce; Mack Young, Deep Water; J. C. Phillips, Summit; J. M. McKissick, Mt. Pleasant; Wm. Stephens, Charlotte; Wm. Smith, Homer; W. M. Campbell, Walnut; Perry Campbell, New Home; A. M. Rogers, Lone Oak; Jacob Nafus, Pleasant Gap; Joel Pratt, Rockville; J. S. Eddy, Prairie; Ed. Crabb, Osage; A. B. Wilkins, Howard.



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W. M. DONE.